



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Violet Varona-Lukens, Executive Officer  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held February 7, 2006, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"On April 6, 2004, the Board of Supervisors approved a reward offer of \$10,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person responsible for the death of 51-year-old James Ramos who was gunned down outside his Hacienda Heights home. The incident occurred at approximately 3:15 a.m., in the 16300 block of Canelones Drive. The detectives working on this case had indicated that the reinstatement of the reward would be helpful in bringing resolution to this case.

"Subsequently, an informant provided the necessary information to affect the arrest and eventual conviction of the persons responsible for this murder.

"Due to the length of the trial, the informant was unable to file a claim within the allotted time."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried (Supervisor Burke being absent), the Board reinstated the \$10,000 reward offered for the purpose of allowing the individual who offered information which led to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the murder of James Ramos, who was gunned down outside his Hacienda Heights home in the 16300 block of Canelones Drive on Tuesday, March 2, 2004 at approximately 3:15 a.m., to file a claim for the reward.

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**NOTICE OF \$10,000 REWARD  
OFFERED BY THE  
LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles has reinstated the \$10,000 reward offered for the purpose of allowing the individual who offered information which led to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the murder of James Ramos, who was gunned down outside his Hacienda Heights home in the 16300 block of Canelones Drive on Tuesday, March 2, 2004 at approximately 3:15 a.m., to file a claim for the reward.

Any person having any information related to this crime is requested to call Detective Scott Lusk at the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Homicide Bureau at (323) 890-5500 and refer to Report No. 004-03697-1471-011.

The terms of the reward provide that:

- The information given that leads to the determination of the identity, the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons must be given no later than May 8, 2006. All reward claims must be in writing and shall be received no later than July 7, 2006.
- The total County payment of any and all rewards shall in no event exceed \$10,000 and no claim shall be paid prior to conviction unless the Board of Supervisors makes a finding of impossibility of conviction due to the death or incapacity of the person or persons responsible for the crime or crimes.
- The County reward may be apportioned between various persons and/or paid for the conviction of various persons as the circumstances fairly dictate.

Any claims for the reward funds should be filed no later than July 7, 2006 with the Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors, 500 West Temple Street, Room 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration, Los Angeles, California 90012, Attention: James Ramos Reward Fund. For further information, please call (213) 974-1579.

Si no entiende esta noticia o si necesita mas informacion, favor de llamar a este numero (213) 974-1579.

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